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Read the following:-

From the Chief Conservator of Forests ,No. 10383/48-2-dated 26-11-46
From the Chief Conservator of Forests, No. 7447/47-2 dated 13-9-47.
From the Government of India Ministry of Agriculture letter No.F.6.11/48.F.dated 19-12-47.

O R D E R :

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2. Item1. Resolution 3 (ii)

The Government accept the proposal that the Silviculturists and Silvicultural Rangers should as soon as possible after appointment as such undergo specialist training for six months at the Forest Research Institute at Dehra Dun.

3. Item 1 Resolution 3 (iii) The Government accept the proposal that Silviculturists and silvicultural staff should if they are found suitable remain in their posts for at least 5 years. But they do not agree to the proposal of the Provincial Silviculturist that they sould remain there throughout their service. The Chief Conservator of Forests may submit proposals in due course for the appointment of an additional Ranger for the Silviculturists'Division if absolutely necessary.

4. Item1 Resolution 5-and Item 2 Resolution 9.

The Government accept the proposal that the Provincial silviculturist should visit the Forest Research Institute, Dehra Dun about once a year and that he sould visit other provinces where research work of special importance to his own may be in progress in order toget first hand knowledge of what is being done there. The chief Conservator of Forest may address the Government for sanction to such visits whenever necessary. During his visit to the Research Institute at Dehra Dun, the Provincial Silviculturist may stay there for not more than a fortnight and complete ledger files on which he may require information from the records of the Institute. The proposal to take a typist with him is not approved.

5. Items 3 and 4 . Afforestation of dry desert areas and contour principle in counter erosion measures :

The Chief Conservator Bf Forest is requested to submit definite proposals if necessary in consultation with the Director of Agriculture.

6. Item 5 Resolutions 2 and 3 (iii). The Chief Conservator of Forests is requested to communicate these resolutions to the Board of Revenue, Director of Agriculture Director of Veterinary Service and the Collectors.

7 Item 6 Resolution (6)

7. Item 6 Resolution (6) The question of constituting a separate Land Management Department and of undertaking training of students in contour banding are separately under consideration.

8. Item 7. Efficiency of renumerations. The Government agree with the Chief Conservator of Forests that where working plan offices have results of full enumerations available, the date may be supplied to Central Silviculturists for examination, both as full enumerations and by sampling and direct that action may be taken accordingly.

9. Item 8. Pasture and fodder : Orders on this will issue separately.

10. Item 9. Seed collections, distribution, storage, testing and transport. The Chief Conservator of Forests is requested to take such action as considers necessary with reference to this item.

11. Item 11 . Restocking of over explited forests:-

The Chief Conservator of Forests is requested to get into touch with large industrial concerns which use timber in large quantities, ascertain the speced they require and communicate the information to the Forest officers in charge of big afforestation and regeneration schemes.

12. Item 13. Resolution . Irrigated plantation advance planning:

The Chief Conservator of Forest is requested to explain to the Chief Engineer (I) the need for such advance planning for his information.

13. Item 14. Casuarina plantations, technique. Orders will be issued separately.

14. Item 15. Thinning Research. The Government direct that thinning research be taken up as proposed by the Provincial Silviculturist to the extent possible without extra expenditre to the Government Government.

Sd. Secretary to Government. 15-5-48.

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